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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 12 & 13

Part B for Jan, 38

SUBJECT.

Appointment of Miss J. M. Black, as Prof. of English & Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore

Notification No 1964 dt 20.1.38

WD 0295—GPB—22,500—13-8-37

To the Compiler Mys.

Notifies the Appt of —

Appointment of a Successor to Mrs Hensman

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Letter no: C.141 dated 5th Nov 1937, from the Registrar, Mysore University, submitting proposals regarding the appointment of a Successor to Mrs Hensman as Prof. of English & Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore.

Subs

1) The points for orders are:-

(1) The selection of a Candidate for being appointed as Successor to Mrs Hensman, as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, out of the two Candidates viz (1) Miss. J. Marguerite Black of Scotland and (2) Mrs. Mona Hensman of Madras. Of the two the former is stated to be the best Candidate.

(2) The appointment to be on probation for two years in the first instance on the minimum pay in the grade Rs 400-25-700

(3) The grant of the ~~usual~~ oversea allowance of Rs 100/- p.m. in respect of Miss Black.

Re: (3) reference is invited to the discussions in C.B. file No: 195-36 (8+9) post cp. regarding the grant of a special allowance of Rs 100/- in the Case of a selected British Candidate for the post of Prof. of English in the Maharaja's College, Mysore.

Subs for orders.

K.N.R
9.11.37)

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Selection of a Lady Professor [illegible] in place of Mrs. Heusman

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2) The University finally recommend the appointment of Miss Marguerite Black as the best candidate. The University Council also mention the name of Mrs Mona Heusman (of Madras) as the next best. Their relative qualifications are noted below.

	HS Miss M. Black	HT Mrs Mona Heusman
Nationality	Scotch	Bengali - Domiciled Madras (Parents)
Age:	27 years.	38 years (Protestant Christian)
Qualifications:	B.A (Hons) I class of Aberdeen (Best in her year & one of the best or the best for several years past) Graduated with distinction in Oxford & obtained II class honours (in Honours School in Philosophy, Politics & Economics) Somewhat slight in build but healthy.	B.A (Hons) London III class Acting Professor of English Women's Christian College Madras Educated in England 1911-1914. Member of the Senate & Co. Council

The Vice-Chancellor "has no hesitation whatever" in recommending Miss Black's appointment on probation for 2 years in the first instance on the minimum pay of Rs 400 (in grade 400 - 25 - 700) with an overseas allowance of Rs 100 "Sanctioned to European officers"

3) In the draft advertisement proposed by the University & approved of by Govt., no mention was. HV

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made of payment of an overseas allowance and it is not known why payment of this is now proposed ~~for the first time~~. The lady is 27 years of age and does not seem to have asked for this overseas allowance.

4) [It is however submitted that in another later advertisement proposed by the University for the post of Professor of ~~English~~ English (male) in the same grade, the University ~~has~~ made specific mention of the overseas allowance of Rs 100 and this was approved by Govt. It is perhaps proposed to place both the male Professor & female Professor on the same footing].

H. C & W

GENERAL SECRETARY. 10 NOV. 1937

Submitted
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9/11/37
General Secy

5) For perusal.

6) The advertisement offered Rs 400 in the grade. No overseas all^ce was mentioned in it. The appt of this Dr. Black may perhaps be therefore appd on this pay. The question of granting the overseas all^ce may be disposed of after further correspce with the University regarding the necessity for it.

For orders.

This U Secy

First Member

7) I agree. Necessary further action may be taken accordingly.

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For Disposal by Circulation. **No. C. 165**

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Council Matter.

DEWAN'S OFFICE
1937
No. 3194

Subject

Proposal to appoint one Miss J. Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, in succession to Mrs. Hensman.

Circulated to the Members of Council.

By Order,

Chief Secretary to Government.

15th November 1937.

First Member of Council.

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Second Member of Council.

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Submitted to His Highness.

(10) These papers relate to the question of selecting a successor to Mrs. H. S. Hensman, Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, who is due to retire from service shortly.

(11) Applications were invited for the post by advertisement both in India and in England. According to the terms of the advertisement, the candidate selected is to be on probation for two years in the first instance on the minimum salary of Rs. 400/- in grade 400-25-700.

(12) Some 46 applications were received in response to the advertisement and were scrutinised by a Special Committee appointed by the University. This Committee have after careful consideration recommended one Miss Marguerite Black as the candidate best qualified for the post. The lady is about 27 years old and has obtained first class Honours in English Language and Literature in the Aberdeen University and is described by the Professor of English in that University as not only best in her year but one of the best, if not the very best, of the candidates for Honours for several years. She has also graduated with distinction in Oxford, where she obtained second class honours in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics.

(13) To see if the lady possessed the necessary personality, Dr. Metcalf interviewed Miss Black in England and Mr. Mackintosh (who happened to be in London) was also present at the time. They seem to have expressed themselves in very high terms about her suitability for the post of Professor of English as well as for the Principalship.

(14) The University Council have recommended the appointment of Miss Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, on the minimum pay of the appointment plus an overseas allowance of Rs.100/- per mensem. The Vice-Chancellor strongly supports the recommendation.

(15) The Members of Council and I are of opinion that, in the circumstances mentioned above, the appointment of Miss Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal of the Maharani's College may be approved. She may be given the salary of Rs. 400/- with an overseas allowance of Rs.100/- per mensem, as recommended by the University Council.

(16) The above recommendation may be graciously approved.

Mirza M. Ismail

D E W A N.

Bangalore,
17th November 1937.

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

17)

No 267
18.11.37

Subject.

Proposal to appoint one Miss Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal of the Maharani's College, Mysore, on Rs.400/- with an overseas allowance of Rs.100/- per mensem.

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General and Revenue
Secretariat.

SUBJECT:— Proposal to appoint one Miss Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal of Maharani's college, Mysore, on Rs 400/- with an overseas allowance of Rs 100/- p.m.

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31. All urgent or confidential files returned with His Highness' orders may in the absence of instructions or indications to the contrary, be ordinarily circulated to the Members of Council for perusal after the issue of orders.

33. The Secretaries concerned should see that orders in the cases referred to above are issued at once and that the files are returned immediately after to the Chief Secretary for circulation to the Members.

34. In all other cases, the files will first be circulated to the Members of Council at Headquarters and then sent to the Secretariat concerned for the issue of orders.

Circulated to Members of Council for perusal of His Highness' orders before/~~after~~ issue of orders. (*Vide* Rules 31, 33 and 34 of the Subsidiary Rules for the conduct of business of Council in the Manual of Council Rules and Procedure.)

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Chief Secretary to Government.

Through the Secretary to Government, 18) 9/11
....General..... Department.

FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL. (on leave)

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SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL. 23/11/37

Gen. Secy. with Compliments.
23.11.37

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Appointment of a Successor to Mrs Hensman, Prof. of Chemistry, Maharani's College

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Submitted

18) According to the Resolution of the University Council the appointment is to be on probation for two years. Omitted in the Submission note, this has been omitted. In the draft G.O. put up this point has also been incorporated.

19) A draft G.O. is put up.

[Notification will be put up after she takes charge of the appointment]

Kmk 23/11/37

Govt Secy

20) The Registrar of the University telephones from Mysore to say that a cable has been received from Miss Black withdrawing her application as she has accepted an appointment elsewhere.

21) The order in this file regarding her appointment is therefore kept back.

22) I spoke to the V.C. who is in Bangalore on the 'phone and he said that the matter may be perhaps re-examined with reference to the other applications received, or it may be worth while advertising again. He said he would wait on the Dewan, if possible today, to speak about this.

For perusal.

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23) I suppose the offer was not a attractive enough. Matter is in truth.

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DEWAN'S OFFICE 24 NOV. 1937 No. 3391

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24) CB Please put up an I/(9?3) 25/11

Govt file 1-7-37

Appointment of a successor to Mr Hensman,
Prof & Principal
Maharaja's College

File No. of 193. General and Revenu Secretariat

25) The Vice-Chancellor told me on 24.11.37 that he had cabled to Mr Black that she will be getting Rs 400+100 and asked if she will accept. I understand from the Registrar today that she has agreed. The order of apptt will issue as soon as this is communicated by letter to Govt.

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27/11/37

MAHARAJA'S OFFICE
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Dewan 26) Mr Confirm by telephone!

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27-11-37

27) So. May issue -

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28) Financial sanction has been communicated. Draft and file below. Fl. cem. 1004

28 MW Fl. Secy.
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29) SR
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30) MW 30/11

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Appointment of Miss Black as Prof. of English and Principal, Maharani's College

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Serial No.

NO. 1532-3B dated 29.11.35

The Registrar, Mysore University—

The Comptroller Govt. Fin. Secy.

Sanctions the appointment of Miss Marguerite Black as Prof. of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore vice Mr. Hensman permitted to retire, ~~the offer~~ on retiree

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Appointment of miss Black as Prof of English & Principal, Maharaja's College

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33) The appointment of miss Black as Principal Maharaja's college has I believe to be reported to the Govt of India. Please put up draft

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9/12/37

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34) Under Proviso 1 to Rule 1 of the Rules regarding the employment in Indian States of European British Subjects, Pensioners, & aliens, the appointment of miss Black, should be informed to Govt of India, with such particulars as are available regarding the person. [miss Black's application is flagged S]

35) A draft go letter put up.

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36) For perusal before issue

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Appointment of Miss Black as Prof. of English & Principal Maharani's College

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General and Revenue Secretariat

No Pol. b 59 dated 11.12.37

The Secy to the Resident

Requests that the information as to the appointment of Miss Black as Prof. & Principal of the Maharani's College may be communicated to the Govt of India

Sus for Notifn

38) Miss Black has reported herself for duty on 17.1.1938 forenoon. (Vide report of transfer of charge).

39) Draft notifying her appointment as Principal, Maharani's college, is put up.

VS. 18/1/38

40) As regards Miss Black's qualifications, reference is invited to her application and the copies of testimonials attached to it. She is an M.A. of the Aberdeen university. She has also graduated with distinction in Oxford where she obtained a Second Class honours in what is known as the "Modern Greats" namely the Honours School in Philosophy, Politics and Economics". The qualifications "M.A. (Oxon) and (Aberdeen)" is, therefore, inserted after her name in the notification.

Sub "S."

GENERAL SECRETARIAT
18 JAN. 1938
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Govt Secy) I have asked the Resr to confirm with 20 sepoys. Please put up tomorrow 19/1/38

Appointment of Miss Black as Prof of Eng & Principal Maharani College

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The Registrar telephones to say that she may be shown as MA (Aberdeen) and BA (Oxon).
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No. 1964 dated 20. 1. 1938.

Notifies the appointment of Miss J. M. Black as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani College, Mysore with effect from 17.1.1938.

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455-1/19/1

Miss Marguerite Black appointed Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, seems to have joined duty yesterday. Submitted for information.

Sd/ 18/1/38.

His Member

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Telephone No. 277.

CONFIDENTIAL **University of Mysore.**

CS 198-86-4

No. C141
Encs: nil follow.

Office of the University of Mysore,

Mysore, dated 5. 11. 1937.

FROM

V. GOPALASWAMI AIENGAR, ESQ., M.A.,
Registrar, University of Mysore,
Mysore.

To

M. Venkatesa Iyengar, Esq., M.A.,
General Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No.3080, dated the 14th July 1937 regarding the advertisement of the post of Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, and in continuation of my letter No.5394, dated the 31st August 1937 intimating the appointment of a Committee to consider applications received for the post, I am directed to forward herewith a summary statement of applications along with a set of the original applications, and also to inform you that the Committee met on the 11th September 1937. The Committee made a list of about 8 or 10 candidates, whose qualifications for the post at for one reason or other deserved further consideration. After a careful scrutiny of these cases, the Committee had no hesitation in arriving at the conclusion that candidate No.29, Miss Marguerite Black, stood out as the candidate best qualified so far as academical qualifications were concerned and so far as fitness for the post of the Professor of English alone had to be considered. The lady, as will be seen from the detailed application, has obtained first class Honours in English Language and Literature in the Aberdeen University, and the Professor of English in the University testifies to the fact tha the lady was not only best in her year ~~and~~ but was one of the best,

if not the very best, of the candidates for Honours for several years past. The lady has also graduated with distinction in Oxford, where she obtained second class honours in what is known as the 'Modern Greats' namely the Honours School in Philosophy Politics and Economics. It is understood that the lady attained a first class level in Philosophy and Politics and failed to obtain a first class on the whole because of her comparatively deficient performance in Economics. The only matter that needed further consideration was whether the lady possessed the necessary personality to function as Principal of the Women's College, and it was decided that a specific reference should be made to Dr. Metcalfe to assess the lady's eligibility particularly from this point of view before final selection. Among the other candidates, there was none either equal or superior to Miss Black in point of academical qualifications, but one of the candidates viz., Mrs. Mona Hensman, appeared to the Committee as possessing excellent qualifications if only the Principalship were concerned, on account of her age, previous experience, and the active part she was playing in the public life of Madras.

Dr. Metcalfe interviewed Miss Black, and Mr.Mackintosn who was present in London at the time, was also able to be with Dr. Metcalfe at the time. As will be seen from the copies of the reports sent by them, both of them express themselves in very high terms about the suitability of Miss Black for the post of Professor of English as well as for the Principalship. The opinion of Dr. Metcalfe as well as of Mr. Mackintosh was communicated to the members of the Selection Committee, all of whom decided to recommend the selection of Miss Black to the University Council.

The University Council at the special meeting held on the 29th October considered the applications received, the proceedings of the meeting of the Selection Committee, and the report of Dr. Metcalfe with Mr. Mackintosh's note. The Council resolved

to recommend to Government the appointment of Miss Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College. It was also further resolved to recommend the name of Mrs. Mona Hensman as an alternative for the reasons stated above.

I am to enclose herewith a copy of the resolution of the University Council, and to say that all things considered, the Vice-Chancellor has no hesitation whatever in recommending the appointment of Miss Black on probation for two years in the first instance on the minimum pay of the grade (400-25-700) with an overseas allowance of Rs.100 sanctioned to European officers.

I am to add that both the Selection Committee and the University Council considered the applications of local candidates both in the University as well as in the Department, and came to the conclusion that none of them possessed qualifications comparable with those of Miss Black or the alternative candidate. As Mrs. Hensman is to retire on the 10th instant, it is proposed to cable to Miss Black to join duty as expeditiously as possible, and therefore I am to request the favour of very early orders.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

L. S. Hensman

Registrar.

O.

UNIVERSITY OF MYSORE

Extract from the Proceedings of the meeting of the University Council held on the 29th October 1937.

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2. Appointment of Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore.

Read (1) Council resolution No.4 dated the 14th August 1937 appointing a Committee to consider the applications received.

(ii) List of applicants for the post.

(iii) Proceedings of the meeting of the Committee held on the 11th September 1937.

(iv) Letter from Dr.E.P.Metcalfe reporting on the interview in England with Miss J. Marguerite Black, Halkirk, Scotland, one of the candidates for the appointment, by himself and Mr. Mackintosh.

Resolved that -

(i) the Council approves of the selection of Miss M J. Marguerite Black as the best candidate, in view of her outstanding academic qualifications and the favourable report of Dr. Metcalfe in regard to personality and administrative capacity.

(ii) the name of Mrs. Mona Hensman, Madras, be also sent up as the next best for selection in view of her age, experience, personality and proved capacity for administrative and social work.

(iii) that the appointment be on probation for two years on the minimum pay plus the usual overseas allowance of Rs.100/- in respect of Miss Black.

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Registrar.

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UNIVERSITY OF MYSORE

Copy of opinion of Dr. E.P.Metcalfe dated the 8th October 1937.

I interviewed Miss J. Marguerite Black in London on October 4th., Mr. Mackintosh being present.

We were favourably impressed by Miss Black's personality. She possesses a quiet and well-bred manner and is ready and easy in conversation, without being loquacious. She is somewhat slight and not very tall -- about five feet three or four inches - but she appears to be of satisfactory physique.

Her Scottish university qualifications and her Professor's testimonial are very impressive. Her record at Oxford is also good; and would no// doubt have been even better but for ill-health while she was there. I understand that her health has now been completely restored.

As an English scholar of a quality unusually high in a lady of her years she would be a most useful acquisition to the University in a department which has suffered in recent years through retirements and diversion to other kinds of work of senior teachers.

Miss Black does not claim to be a more than moderate performer in the sports field, but she plays golf and tennis occasionally and knows something about hockey.

Judging from the style of her correspondence (including her calligraphy) I should say that she is a person of neatness and method.

Miss Black has a brother in the service of a Bank in Calcutta. She seems to be attracted by the prospect of living and working in India; and, having had some contact with Indian women students at Oxford, is very favourably disposed towards them.

I am of opinion that she is very suitable for appointment.

UNIVERSITY OF MYSORE

Copy of opinion of Mr. A.B. Mackintosh, M.A., dated the 6th October 1937, sent by Dr. Metcalfe.

I had an opportunity of meeting Miss Marguerite Black M.A., at an interview in London on Oct.4 with Dr. E.P. Metcalfe.

Miss Black has a very distinguished academical record and my opinion is that she is very suitable for appointment as Principal of the Maharani's College. She impressed me as being a lady of character, personality and intellect, and as one who would display energy and keeness in her work. I believe that Miss Black would be a valuable acquisition to the Mysore Educational Service.

Copies "

Registrar

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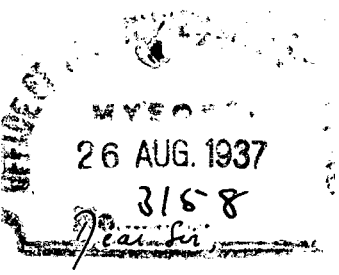

Stalkirk,
Caithness,
Scotland.
Aug. 14, 1937.

Dear Sir,

I beg to apply for the post of Professor of English and Principal Maharani's College for women, as advertised in the 'Times'. My age is 27, and I am of British nationality, both my parents being Scots.

After leaving school I went up to Aberdeen University, where after the usual four years' course in English language and literature, I graduated with First Class Honours and all the prizes in Literature, and shared the Language prize. My intention had been to go up to Oxford immediately, but Professor Jack asked me to take for one year the post of lecturer in Language, which had

unexpectedly become vacant. This I was very glad to do. It entailed all the Honours work in Language, including the setting, and correction (along with a co-examiner from Cambridge) of the 'final' papers. The work of the year included Old and Middle English language and literature. Twice a week I lectured to the 'Ordinary' class of two hundred, once on Language and once on their set books. This also entailed the setting & correction of papers.

At the end of the year, Professor Jack asked me to return to assist him in paper and correction work, which I did for two terms. I also took a number of private pupils at this time, and studied on my own account. For the third term I went to Germany, to learn the language and also to have some experience of German university life.

Instead of reading English at Oxford. I read Modern Greats, having felt for some time that for teaching in 'literature' and in literary criticism, the study of 'literature' alone was not enough. My philosophy and politics were both good enough to obtain 1st marks in Final Schools, but my economics were not. The work and college life I enjoyed very much, and the vacations I spent in Germany & Austria.

During this time my early interest in India was greatly forwarded by acquaintance and friendship with many Indian students: so much so that I have decided to apply for no posts in this country, but to concentrate on obtaining work in India.

My testimonials are being sent under separate cover from London. I sincerely hope that you will consider this application, and set a small mug youth some fair experience of academic life

and organisation.

I remain,

Yours very truly,

J. Marguerite Black.

Received by air mail
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UNIVERSITY OF ABERDEEN

15th July, 1932.

In the Final Honours Examination when she obtained her First Class and all the University Prizes, Miss Black proved herself incontestably to be the head of her year, her papers constantly receiving a "First" mark from both Examiners, and her position being never in doubt.

What distinguished her work, besides its general excellence, was her capacity for tackling the questions. In her paper on "Bacon", her "Special Author", she showed a grasp of difficult matter which in my experience in Aberdeen has seldom been equalled, and I doubt if I ever had a better "Special" Paper. In Language (Anglo-Saxon and Middle-English) she was bracketed for the Scottish Texts Society's Prize, and on the more purely aesthetic side of the Examination, in the General paper on Shakespeare, and in the paper asking for an appreciation of unseen poems she showed a general understanding beyond the reach of the rest.

I do not remember a first student of the year who has given more conclusive proof of the possession of general ability.

9th August, 1937.

Since I wrote the above, and before she went to Oxford Miss Black gave me a good deal of assistance both in lecturing and paper work.

Shortly after she took her Degree at Aberdeen in 1932, there was a sudden vacancy in the Language Lectureship in the English Department. This is a Senior, and by custom in Aberdeen a male appointment; and I had not time in the Autumn of 1932 and before the opening of the Session to get a suitable permanent appointment made.

I therefore asked Miss Black if she would come to me as Assistant for one year, assist me in the ordinary Class and give the Honours lectures in Languages. At the end of the year a new Languages Lecturer was appointed, but I was so gratified with what she had done that I asked her to continue to give me assistance in the General Paper Correction work.

All this work, lecturing and correcting, was done admirably, and I may say that it was something of a tour de force for a student who had just taken her own Degree to be able to give lectures of an Honours standard in the Language Class she had just quitted a year before.

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Miss Black now tells me that she desires a teaching post, and I suppose, with the knowledge she has acquired while taking her excellent degree in Modern Greats at Oxford, there can be few more widely educated women of her age making application for a teaching appointment.

(Signed) A.A. JACK.

Professor in English Literature.

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SOMERVILLE COLLEGE

OXFORD

7th August, 1937.

Miss J.M. Black entered the College as a Senior Student in 1934, to read for the Final Honour School of Philosophy, Politics and Economics, in which she has just been placed in the Second Class.

Miss Black came here as a graduate of Aberdeen, having already taken her M.A. degree there with First Class Honours in English, and having stayed on for a year as Lecturer in English Literature under the Professor. (That she was asked to do so was an unusual honour and tribute to a student of her years.) She came up with the intention of studying philosophy, politics and economics, and brought to that study a mature judgment and an unusually lively intelligence. Her work has been consistently vigorous, independent and able. She has been to some extent hampered by ill-health - though I think she is now completely restored to health - and it is likely that she would have been placed in the First Class had there been no obstacle of that kind.

I have formed a high opinion of her intellectual powers and gifts. She has a sensitive appreciation of literature, and on the other hand, she has shown marked ability for philosophical study. All her work has shown a characteristic discrimination and understanding.

She has played a full part in the life of the college community, and was President of the Debating Society.

In personal relations, I have found her always frank and sincere, thoughtful and scrupulous about her responsibilities, altogether a person whom one instinctively likes and trusts. In the practical sphere of things she is clear headed and has plenty of common sense, and considerably more experience than is common in one of her years.

I think she is admirably fitted for a college or university lectureship. She has a desire to work in India and to find some post in one of the Indian colleges. I think she would be unusually well fitted for this. She has an open mind, and essentially sympathetic approach to life and an interest in new problems. She has an individual charm of personality and a true integrity of character.

I am glad to give her my very warm personal recommendation.

(Signed) HELEN DARBISHIRE.

Principal of Somerville College, Oxford.

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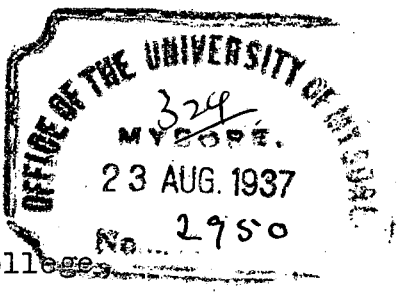

Somerville College,

OXFORD.

Miss Black has been my pupil for three years while reading for the Honour School of Philosophy, Politics and Economics. She came to Somerville with an excellent degree in English, and soon showed that she could turn her abilities to the very different subjects on which she now embarked. She brought from her earlier work an excellent English prose style, and the habit of wide and critical reading. She soon began to show considerable promise, in particular on the Politics side of her subject and in Philosophy.

Before long she was doing independent, vigorous and scholarly work which always reached a high level, and which would have been still better, I think, had she not been handicapped by illness during her second year.

This ill-health is now, I am glad to say, quite overcome and I have no hesitation in recommending her for academic work. Both as regards abilities and character, she should prove an excellent teacher and a pleasant colleague.

(Signed) L. STUART SUTHERLAND.

Fellow and Tutor of

Somerville College.

UNIVERSITY OF MYSORE

V. GOPALASWAMI AIENGAR, M.A.
Registrar.

Camp Bangalore,
29th November 1937.

Dear Mr. Venkatesa Iyengar,

I am desired to communicate for your information the following cablegram* received from Miss Black on the 27th November 1937. If Government orders could be communicated by return, it will be possible to cable the words to her and confirm the cablegram by the next air mail.

"* Accept await instructions."

Yours Sincerely,

M. Venkatesa Iyengar, Esq., M.A.,
General Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
Bangalore.

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Proceedings of the Govt of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read :-

Correspondence ending with letter No. C 141 dated 5th Nov. 1937 from the Registrar, Mysore University, submitting proposals regarding the appointment of a successor to Mrs H. S. Hensman, Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, who is due to retire from service. ~~shortly~~

1532-33/ C.S. 198-36-5
Order No. date. 29/11/37

Govt are pleased to sanction the appointment of Miss Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, ~~the appointment of~~ Miss B. with the in the first instance, for probation for two years on the minimum pay of the grade Rs 400-25-700 with an overseas allowance of Rs 100/- p.m. vice Mrs Hensman, permitted to retire from service.

Fin 29/11
Gen. Secy. to Govt

1. The Registrar, Mysore University
2. The Comptroller to Govt. thro. Fin. Secy.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

Dated, Bangalore, 11th December 1937.

No. Pol. 659
CS. 198-86-6

From

M. VENKATESA IEYNGAR, ESQ., M.A.,
~~General~~ *General Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.*

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

Subject.- Appointment of Miss J.Marguerite Black, as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore.

Sir,

I am directed to inform you that the Government of Mysore have appointed Miss J.Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, on a pay of Rs.400/- per mensem in grade Rs.400-25-700 with an Oversea Allowance of Rs.100/- per mensem in succession to Mrs. H.S.Hensman permitted to retire from service. The address as given by her is "Halkirk, Caithness, Scotland." She is of British Nationality both her parents being Scots. Miss Black is reported to have a brother in the service of a Bank in Calcutta.

I am to request you to kindly communicate the above information to the Government of India.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

11/12/37

General Secretary to Government.

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Subject :- Appointment of Miss J. Marguerite Black, as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore.

To,

The Secy to the Resident,

Sir,

I am directed to ~~request~~ inform you that the Govt. of Mysore ~~propose~~ have ~~to~~ appointed Miss J. Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, on a pay of Rs 400/- p.m. in grade Rs 400-25-700 with an Overseas allowance of Rs 100/- p.m. in succession to Mrs H. G. Henseman permitted to retire from service. The address as given by her is as ~~follows~~ "Halkirk, Caithness, Scotland". ~~He~~ She is of British Nationality both her parents being Scots. Miss Black ~~is~~ is reported

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF CHARGE BY OFFICERS.

(Vide *para 104 of the Mysore Treasury Manual.*)

No. 57 Office of The Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, Dated 17th January 1938.

GENERAL SECTION RECEIVED 18 JAN. 1938

1. Name and designation of relieved officer—

Mrs. H.S.Hensman, M.A., Dip.Edn (Cantab) Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore.

2. Name and designation of relieving officer—

Miss J. Marguerite Black,

3. Date and hour of transfer of charge –

11 A.M. 17th January 1938.

4. Authority under which the transfer is made and the reason for such transfer—

Govt Order No. 1308-9/C.B.87-36-33 dated 8th November 1937. and G.O.No. 1532-33/C.B. 198-36-5 dated the 29th November 1937.

Certified that

(1) Separate statements* showing the details of cash, stamps, opium, ganja, and bill forms in stock (*vide* Article 47 of the Civil Account Code, Volume I) and

(2) an acknowledgment* of the permanent advances in the prescribed printed form (*vide* para 221 of the Treasury Manual) ~~has~~ have been attached to the charge report forwarded to the Comptroller to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

N.B.—Certificate No. 1 is required in cases of transfer of charge of Taluk Treasuries by Amildars and of District Treasuries by Deputy Commissioners.

H.S. Hensman Mrs

Signature of relieved officer.

J. Marguerite Black. 17/1/38

Signature of relieving officer.

*These should be signed by relieving officer.

CB 1395

CB. 198-36-10

Tel. Address: "UNIREG"
Telephone No. 277.

University of Mysore.

No. 14060
Enc.

Office of the University of Mysore,

Mysore, dated 15th January 1938.
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FROM

V. GOPALASWAMI AIENGAR, Esq., M.A.,
Registrar, University of Mysore,
Mysore.

To

M. Venkatesa Iyengar, Esq., M.A.,
General Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

GENERAL SECRETARY. 18 JAN. 1938 SIR

With reference to Government Order No.1532-33/C.B., 198-36-5, dated the 29th November 1937, sanctioning the appointment of Miss Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College in succession to Mrs.Hensman, I am directed to request the favour of the return of the set of the original applications, for the post of Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, forwarded with this office letter No.C.141, dated the 5th November 1937, if it is no longer required for reference.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
V. Gopalaswami
Registrar.

All the applications, except those of Miss Black and Mrs Mona Hensman who were recommended by the University, will be returned, if appd.
Subd for orders.

VS. 18/1/38 Genl Secy) VS 15 (Papers in Miss B may be kept. all the others may be returned
Genl 18/1/38
20/1/38

Draft and fair of letter to the Registrar, is put up.

VS. 19/1/38
Asst. Secy)

Tel. Address: "UNIREG
Telephone No. 277.

University of Mysore.

No. 14326
Enc.

Office of the University of Mysore,

Mysore, dated 18-1- 193 8

FROM

V. GOPALASWAMI AIENGAR, ESQ., M.A.,
Registrar, University of Mysore,
Mysore.

GENERAL SECRETARY
18 JAN. 1938

To,
M. Venkatesa Iyengar, Esq., M.A.,
General Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Adverting to Government Order No. 1532-33/C.B.198-36-5, dated the 29th November 1937, sanctioning the appointment of Miss Marguerite Black as Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, vice Mrs. Hensman, permitted to retire from service, I am directed to state that Miss J.M. Black arrived in Mysore on the 15th January 1938 and took charge of the appointment from Mrs. Hensman in the forenoon of the 17th January 1938.

I am to add that the appointment of Miss Black has not yet been notified in the Gazette.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Registrar.

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Notification.

Miss J. Marguerite Black

M. A., (~~Manchester~~) B.A. (~~Oxon~~) (~~Aberdeen~~) is

appointed Professor of English

and Principal, Maharani's College,

Mysore, with effect from 17.1.1938.

By order

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Secretary to Govt.

General Dept.

Vs.

To.

The compiler, Mysore Gazette, for

publication.

Copy to 1) the Registrar, Mys Univ,

1965-66/C.B 2) ~~the~~ Comptroller to Govt

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

Dated Bangalore, 20th January 1938.

No. 1964/C.B.198-36-12

NOTIFICATION.

Miss J. Marguerite Black, M.A. (Aberdeen), B.A. (Oxon), is appointed Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, with effect from 17th January 1938.

By order,

M. Venkatasaliyengar

Secretary to Government
General Department.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

Dated Bangalore, 20th January 1938. 193

No. 1964/C.S 198-36-12

NOTIFICATION.

Miss J. Marguerite Black, B.A. (Aberdeen), B.A. (Oxon), is appointed Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, with effect from 17th January 1938.

By order,

for Secretary to Government,
General Department.
20/1/38

To

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

General and Revenue Secretariat.

Dated Bangalore, 20th January 1938.

No. 1964/C.S.198-36-1

NOTIFICATION.

Miss J. Marguerite Black, M.A. (Aberdeen), B.A. (Oxon), is appointed Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, with effect from 17th January 1938.

By order,

Hunagund Rao
for Secretary to Government,
General Department.
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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

Dated Bangalore, 20th January 1938. 19

No. 1964/ C.S. 188-36-12

NOTIFICATION.

Miss J. Marguerite Black, M.A. (Aberdeen), B.A. (Oxon), is appointed Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, with effect from 17th January 1938.

By order,

Secretary to Government,
General Department.

To

The Compiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication in the Gazette.

No. 196) | C.R. 198-36-12

20th January 1938.

Encl: as noted
pmkt.

M. Venkatesa Iyengar, Esqr., M.A.,

General Department.

V. Gopalaswami Aiengar, Esqr., M.A.,
Registrar, Mysore University, Mysore.

With reference to your letter No.14060 dated 17th January 1938, I am directed to return herewith all the applications received with your letter No.C.141 dated 5th November 1937 for the post of Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, excepting the one relating to Miss J. M. Black.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for Secretary to Government,
vs General Department.

20/1/38

Tel. Address: "UNIREG"

University of Mysore.

No. 14886
Enc.

Please place in the file

FROM

V. GOPALASWAMI AIENGAR, Esq., M.A.,
Registrar, University of Mysore,
Mysore.

Office of the University of Mysore,
Mysore, 25-1-1938

EDUCATION DEPT. GEN. 25 JAN 1938

GENERAL SECRETARIAT 26 JAN. 1938

To

M.Venkatesa Iyengar, Esq., M.A.,
General Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of all the applications sent with your letter No.1967/C.B. 198-36-13, dated the 20th January 1938, for the post of Professor of English and Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore, excepting the one relating to Miss.J.M.Black.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Registrar.

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UNIVERSITY OF MYSORE.

APPLICANTS FOR THE POST OF PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH AND PRINCIPAL, MAHARANI'S COLLEGE, MYSORE.

Item	1	indicates	Date and place of birth.
	2	"	Nationality, Race, Religion and sect.
	3.	"	Qualifications.
	4.	"	Present position and salary.
	5.	"	Previous service if any and salary.
	6.	"	Works published.
	7.	"	Specification of credentials.
	8.	"	Other particulars if any.

Sri Nagamma, Headmistress,
Maharani's High School, Mysore.

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1. 23-8-1889.

2. Hindu, Smartha Brahmin.

3. B.A.(Mad.) 1913; B.A.(Pass (Mad) 1915 - English Language and Literature. L.T.(Mad.) 1918; M.A.(Mad.) 1921. English Language and Literature.

4. Head Mistress, Maharani8s High School, Mysore. Rs 300/

5. Head Mistress, Vani Vilas Institute, Bangalore.
Superintendent, Women's Training College, Mysore.
Acted as Principal, Maharani's College, Mysore from June to November 1934.

6. Articles in Vidyadayini and Lotus.

7. Extracts from inspection reports of the Department of Public Instruction.

8. 22 years of service.

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2. Mrs. Shree Devi Kurup,
F.7, Staff Quarters, Hindu University
Benares.

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1. 1-2-1907. South Malbar.

2. Indian Hindu Nair.

3. M.A.(Hons.) in English Language and Literature (III class) (Mad.); L.T. (Mad.) 1932.

4. Chief Lectuter in English, Women's College, Hindu University, Benares. ; 150/ per mensem from 1934.

5. Lecturer in English, St. Tereasa's College for "omen, Cochon State. Sub-Editor of the Madras Mail in charge of the Women's Page.

6. Occasional contributions on general subjects to the Hindu and the Madras Mail.

7. i) Sr.Beatrice, Principal, St.Teresass College for Women, Ernakulam.
ii) Principal, Lady Willingdon Training College, Madras.
iii) Editor, Madras Mail.
iv) Principal, Women's College, Hindu University, Benares.
v) Vice-Chancellor, Hindu University.

8. Grigg Memorial Medal.
T.M.Nair Memorial Medal.

3. Miss Gladys de Souza,
La Petrite Flem, Perry Road, Bandra, Bombay.

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1. 29-4-1912. Bombay.

2. Christian. (Roman Catholic)

3. B.A.(Hons.) History. 1935.

4. Teacher, St.Teresa's High School, Girgaum. Rs 50/

Certificates:

i) Joseph Fel, Professor of English, St.Xavier's College, Bombay.
ii) G.M.Moraes, Professor of Western History.
iii) The Chaplaim, St.Anne's Chapel, Bandra.
iv) Rao Bahadur S.K.Bole, J.P., Bombay.

Other particulars:

She is willing to bring testiminials from the Fathers of St.Xavier's College in English and from the Principal,

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4. Miss Seemah Ekaireb,
Madan Mansion, Block B.Suite 3,
275, Bow Bazaar Street, Calcutta.

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1. 4.7.1907. Calcutta.

2. Jewish.

3. B.A.(Hons.) in English (Cal.) II class.
M.A.(Cal.) II class.
B.T. Pass 1931.

4. Tutoress to the Princess of Murshidabad and tutoress to the children of Kumar G.C.Mullick.

5. Honorary Principal in the Suhrawardi School.
Teacher of Mathematics in the Jewish School.

6. ---

7. i) Sir A.Suhrawardy, Calcutta.
ii) Principal, Jewish Girls' School.
iii) Jay Gopal Banerjee, Head of the Department of English, Calcutta University.
iv) P.C.Gosh, Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.

8. Has had several years experience in teaching and preparing candidates of recognised schools and colleges in Calcutta for the various examinations of the Calcutta and Cambridge Universities.

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5. Miss Subur Kh Mugaseth,
French Lodge, Calicut.

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1. 2.7.1911. Calicut.

2. Indian Parsee.

3. B.A.Honours in English, I class, Madras, 1932.
-do- II class, Oxford, 1934.
B.A. Literature (Oxford) 1936.
Undergoing L.T.course and preparing.

4. --

5. Taught at the Retreat School, Ahmedabad, for one year on 325 p.m.

6. Preparing thesis for the examination.

7. i) R.M.Statham, Principal, Presidency College, Madras.
ii) V.K.Ayappan Pillay, Professor of English.
iii) K.Swaminathan, Professor of English.
iv) D.S.Sarma, Junior Professor of English.
v) Grace Hadow, Principal, Oxford.
vi) R.F.Butler, Vice-Principal,
vii) C.L.Morrison, Tutor in English to the Society of Oxford.
viii) C.L.Wrenn, Lecturer in English.
ix) John H.Bryson.
x) D.N.Somerset.
xi) Strickland Gibson, Oxford.
xii) Edmund Blunden, Oxford.

8. a)Awarded gold medal (Madras) for English.
b)Distinction in English.
c)Prize for good conduct and general pfficiency.
d)Activities in Sports and was Secretary for Literary and Debating Societies.
e)Christian College Gold Medal.
f)Sub-Editor of the Queen Mary's College Magazine.

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6. Miss Yughandara V.Ghate,
B.T.College, Kolhapur.

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1. December 1911. Poona.

2. Hindu Brahmin.

3. B.A. in Sanskrit and Marathi (Bombay) 1933.
M.A. in Sanskrit and English, (Bombay) 1935.

4. i) Stydying for B.T. at Kolhapur.
ii) Teacher in Municipal Girls' High School, Ahmedabad, on Rs 80/
iii) Undergoing B.T. course in the Tara Bai Training College, Kolhapur.

5. Served for two years in High School for Indian Girls' at Poona and at the Municipal Girls' High School, Ahmedabad.

6. --

7. (a) Principal, S.P.College.
b) Lady Superintendent, Municipal Girls School, Ahmedabad.
c) Superintendent, High School for Girls, Poona.
d) Dr. V.B.Bapat.
e) M.R.Paranjpye.
f) Collector, Dharwar.
g) Principal, B.T.College, Kolhapur.
h) Dr. R.P.Paranjpye.

8. Regarding character, references to be made to Dr. Belvalkar, Dr. R.P.Paranjpye, Dr. V.A.Paranjpye, Dr. V.S.Bapat, and Principals Mahajani, Balakrishna and Vakil.

Regarding teaching experience, reference may be made to the Lady Superintendent of High School for Indian Girls, Poona, and the Lady Superintendent, Municipal High School, Ahmedabad, and the Professors of English of the B.T. College, Kolhapur.

Working for the RxMx Ph.D. Degree under Professor Abhyankar.

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7. Miss Lolika Ghose,
Gokuldas Intermediate College for Girls,
Moradabad.

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1. 12-9-1902.

2. Bengali.

3. B.A.Hons. in English Literature I class (Calcutta) 1923;
B.Litt.
Diploma in Education (Oxford), 1926.

4. Lady Principal at Gokuldas Intermediate College for Girls, Moradabad, on Rs 215/ p.m. for one year.

5. i) Assistant Inspectress of School, 24 Paragana, for one month in 1927.
ii) Joint-Secretary, Saroj Nalini Dutt Memorial Association, 1927.
iii) Lady Organiser, Chiitaranjan Seva Sadan, 1928-36.
iv) Lady Principal, Victoria Institute for Girls, Calcutta. (1928-30)
v) Professor of English, Victoria College. 1933-35

6. a) Indian Writers of English Verse. (B.Litt. Thesis).
b) Stray articles in magazines.

7. i) Mr. Shyam Prasad Mukherji.
ii) Sir Nilaratan Sircar.
iii) Dr. B.C.Roy.
iv) M.H.B.Nethergole.
v) Miss C.M.E.Burrows.
vi) Miss E.M.Talbot.

8. Comes of an old cultures family in Bengal and is the daughter of the late Mr. Manomohan Ghose. Mr. Arabindo Ghose is her uncle and her great grandfather the late Nanda Kisore Bose was a friend of the late Raja Ram Mohan Roy.

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8. Miss Eunice Gomez,
Sheilan, Tyenad, Trivandrum.

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1. 22.10.1898. Cochin.

2. Anglo Indian. Roman Catholic.

3. B.A.(Mad.) History and Economics, 1918, II class.
M.A.(Mad.) English Language and Literature, 1921, II class.
M.A.(Oxford) III class. 1929.

4. Has been working since 1929 as Assistant Professor of English in the Women's College, Trivandrum, on Rs 300/p.m.

5. Lecturer in English.
Professor of English.

6. --

7. a) Mr. P.E.Grose.
b) Mr. L.C.M.Onverkerk.
c) Mr. E.E.Wardale.
d) Mr. A.I.Carlyle.
e) Mr. R.F.W.Fletcher.
f) Mary Y.Potts Chatto.
g) Mother Mary Dominica.
h) A.Gopala Menon.
i) A.Narayana Tampi.

8. For the past six years has been a member of the Academic Council and Senate of the Madras University and has been elected this year as member of the Board of Studies in English of the Madras University. Worked as Assistant Examiner for the Intermediate and as additional examiner in English for B.A. and as Chief Examiner till 1935. Chief Examiner and Junior paper setter on the Board of Examiners in the Annamalai University.

Fairly good administrative experience as Warden of the Hostel.

Active member of practically every women's association in Travancore and a Committee member of the Trivandrum Public Library.

9. Miss A.Sampson,
Marion Lodge, 2002 Vincent Street, Poona.

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2.

3. B.A.(Hons.) In English, II class. (Bombay).
B.T.II class, 1931.
Teachers Diploma in Education of the London University.

4. Working in the High School for the Indian Girls at Poona from 1935.

5. Columbia High School from 1929-32.

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7. S.Bapat, Lady Superintendent, High School for Girls.
M.C.Wilson, Principal.
B.H.J.Rustomji, Professor, Elphinstone College.
E.W.Woodhouse, Professor, Deccan College.
C.C.Thomson, Principal, St.Columbia High School.
H.G.Rawilson, Principal.
Katherine L.Johnston.
J.D.Kapadia.
H.V.Hampton.

8. Was a student of the Maria Grey Training College, London, in 1933-34 and attended vacation courses at the 'Alliance Francaise' and the Sorbanne' for the study of the French Language. Was in charge of French and English of the Matriculation and the Cambridge classes. Lectured last year on Education and Psychology to the students of the Training classes for Teachers started by one of the institutes in Poona and has been appointed as the examiner for the Teachers Examination for the Primary and Secondary Schools.

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104. Mrs. J.M.Gupta,
Sea View Hostel, Puri.

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1. February 1898. Dacca.

2. Bengali Hindu.

3. B.A.Honours (Cal.) 1921.
Finished M.A. course in English and History

4. a) Social worker.
b) Private service ~~a~~ Rs 200/ and free furnished quarters.

5. 1) Lecturer in English and History, Carthwite Girls' College, Allahabad.
2) Has taught Indian Music, Hindi, Sanskrit and Harmonium.
3) Teaching experience for 15 years.
4) Organised music schools.
5) Was an honorary principal.

6. The organisation of Domestic Science, Music, Nursing, High Schools, Women's Associations in the U.P.

7. 1. Lady Albion Banerji.
2. Sir C.P.Ramaswami Iyer.
3. Sir T.Vijayaraghavacharya.
4. Honorary Secretary, Carthwite Girls College, Allahabad
5. Minister of Local Self-Government, Lucknow.
6. Dr. Paranjpye, Vice-Chancellor.
7. Principal, Colvin Talukdars College.
8. Violet Haig, Government House, Lucknow.
9. Minister of Education, U.P.
10. H.H.Dowager Maharani of Mandi.
11. Lady Laidash Srivatsava.
12. Principal, Muslim Girls College, Lucknow.
13. C.Y.Chintamani.
14. Sir Sikandar Hayat Khan.
15. Principal, Bethume College, Calcutta.
16. Vikrajit Singh, M.L.C.
17. Nawab Sir Siyakat Hayat Khan, ~~Rxxixxx~~ Patiala.
18. Thakur Rampal Singh, M.L.C.
19. Mustafa Raza, Bar-at-Law.
20. Bikramjit Singh, M.L.C.

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11. C.B.Tod, L.R.M.S.,
Sanavar, Simla Hills.

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1. 23-11-1905. England.

2. English.

3. London Matric. 1924.
Royal Sanitary Institute of Hygiene at Bedford.

4. Part-time Instructress at Lawrence Royal Military School, Rs 200/ p.m.

5. Alice Ottley School, England. 5 years. Rs.200-50 per annum.
St.Brandais Bristol, England. 3 months. £ 100/ -do
Mahubia Girls School, Hyderabad. Rs 350/p.m.

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8. Applied for post of Physical Training Instructress.

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12. Sri Kanakalakshamma, M.A.,
Assistant Professor, Maharani's College, Mysore.

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1. 28-9-1897. Mysore.

2. Srivaishnava Brahmin.

3. M.A.(Mysore 1920)
B.A.Honours, II class.
Qualifying Examination for M.A.

4. Assistant Professor of English, Maharani's College, Mysore, from 1938, Rs 300/ p.m.

5. Deputy Inspectress of Schools for 4 years.
Head Mistress of Maharani's High School, 3 months.

6. A Play of Savitri (not published)
A thesis on the Eastern Conception of Art. (submitted to Benares Sanskrit Mahamandalam.)
Art and Life.
Philosophy of Music.

7. Mr. N.S.Subba Rao.
H.V.Ranth, Bedford College.
Margaret M.Tuke, Bedford College.
C.R.Reddy.

13. Mrs. G.D.Mathur,
Ruby House, Lucknow.

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1. 21-6-1897. Lahore.

2. Indian Aryan Hindu.

3. B.A.(Hons.), III class. 1925.
Ph.D. in English Literature (London) 1928.

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5. 1. Honorary Professor of English in the Women's College, Benares Hindu University, for two years.
2. Professor of English -do-

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1.Rai Bahadur Bali, Ex-Minister of Education, U.P.
2.Raja Jawla Prasad.
3.Pandit Iqbal Narain Gurtu.
4.Rai Bahadur Ram Kishor.
5.A.B.Dhurva.
6.Rao Bahadur K.V.Rangaswami Iyengar.
7.Dr.B.Sahani.
8.Dr. S.S.Bhatnagar.
9.Dr.N.P.Shthana.
10.Dr.Mahta Prasad.
11.Principal P.Seshadri.

8. Thesis for Ph.D. (Ballad Literature in English and Hindi),

Widow of the late Professor K.M.Mathur, Professor of Geology, Benares Hindu University.

14. Miss Bala Hudson,
4, Hindustan Road, Ballygunge P.O.Calcutta.

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1. 32 years.

2. Indian Christian.

3. B.A.(Cal.) 1928.
B.T.(Cal.) 1929.
M.A.(Cal.) History 1932.

4. Lady Principal, Ballygunge Girls' School, from 1933.

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7. 1. Gold medalist.
2. Diploma in Infant School Methods.
3. Diploma in Physical Training.

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15. Miss S.Iyengar,
College Road, Mysore.

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1. 6-2-1910. Bowringpet.

2. Brahmin.

3. M.A. I class (Mysore) 1933.
M.A. (London.) 1936

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7. Edith C.Batho, Reader in English Literature, London.
B.Rama Rao, Deputy High Scommissioner, London.
A letter from Edith C.Batho to the Registrar.

16. Mrs. H.C.Joshi,
Mandi State, Punjab.

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1. 1902. Ahmednagar.
2. Indian, Hindu Saaatanist.
3. B.A.(Bombay) English and Sanskrit. II class. 1922.
Diploma in Social Science.(Birm.) II class. 1926.
M.A.(Benares)-English. II class 1935.

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5. 1. Acted as the Directoress of the Social Service Training Centre, Bombay. Rs200/
2. In charge of Women's College.Hyderabad, for three years on Rs 200/ with free quarters.
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7. 1. Secretary. S.T.C.Committee.
2. Honorary Organiser, Women's College, Hyderabad.
3. Principal, Carey Hall College for Women.
8. Cannot come for an interview at her expense.

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17. Miss Mary Janet James,
Lecturer in English, Holy Croass College,
Trichnopoly.

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1. 26-10-1905. Madras.
2. Indian Christaan.
3. M.A. in English Lang. and Lit. (Mad.II class)1929.
Diploma in Education (Lond.) 1930.
4. Lecturer in English, Holy Cross College, Trichnopoly Rs 120 p.m. for a year.
5. i) Was a teacher in Women's Christian College, Madras, Rs 165/
ii) Madras Educational Service Rs75/
iii) Was a teacher in Isabella Thoubnrn College, Lucknow, 1932-33, Rs 200/ p.m.
6. --
7. Principal, St.Agne's College, Mangalore.
K.Myers, Queen Mary's College, Madras.
W.C.Douglas, Professor of English.
Adeliza N.Green, S.Mary's College.
A.M.Scott, Tutor in St.Mary's College, London.
Sister Eudora, Hilda's School.
Vice-Chancellor, Madras University.
8. Possesses certificate in Home Science

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18

Miss B.Wingfield,
Kodaikanal School,Kodaikanal.

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1. 1897, U.S.A.

2. American

3. B. S., B.A.(Columbia)1918

4. Teaching English in the Kodaikanal School.

5. (1) College work with women in America and Europe

(2) Principal in British and American Schools.

6.(i) Journal of Graduate Reports filed in Kensington Library,England.

(ii) Assisted in the preparation of manuscript 'Ethnology'.

7.(i) University of Kansas State

(ii) University of Paris

(iii) Chinese Secretary,Peking.

(iv) Mrs. A.D.Powell,Kodaikanal.

8. Graduate School in English Literature -

1 year Sorbonne - 2 years.

19

Miss S. Agha,
8 Katra Road, Allahabad.

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1. February,1900, Allahabad.

2. Indian Kashmere Brahmin.

3. M.A.English Language and Literature(Allahabad)1926
A.M. in Education(Michigan) 1930
LL.B.(Allahabad)1926.

4. 1. Head of the Teacher Training Department,Crosthwaite College, Allahabad.- 220/ for seven years.

5. (i) Principal, Aryakanya Patasala,Allahabad. 2 years Rs 150/

(ii) Organising Secretary,Lady Irwin College,Delhi -one year Rs 400/p.m.

6.(1) Three reports on the Education of Women in the Madras Presidency, U.P., and in the Mysore State.

(2) Three monographs on:

(a) Some Aspects of Women's Education in the U.P.

(b) Waste in Primary Education.

(c) Primary Education by Local Bodies.

(3) Articles.

7.(i) Dr.J.B.Edmonson,Dean of the School of Education,Michigan.

(ii) Dr.George E.Carrothers.

(iii) Dr.Clifford Woods.

(iv) Dr.George C.Kyte.

(v) Amarnath Jha,Allahabad University.

(vi) Mr. C.Y.Chintamani.

(vii) Dr.J.B.Edmonson's letter to the Minister of Education,U.P.

8. Served in the Allahabad District Board.

Mrs. E. Uffold,
Hyderagada, Hyderabad.

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1. 2-10-1878, Hyderabad.

2. Anglo-Indian.

3. (i) B.A.(Mad) in English Literature.

(ii) Diploma in Education(Cambridge) 1911

(iii)B.A.(Hons) in Natural Science.Oxford 1916.

(iv) M.A.(Oxford)1925.

4. Private Tuition.

5. 1. Wide experience in Teaching.

2. Held teaching posts in Madras and Hyderabad.

3. Professor of Physiology,Lady Hardinge Medical College.

6. A few short stories.

7. (a) Registrar of the University of Oxford.

(b) Professor of Physiology,Oxford

(c) Principal, Society of Oxford Home Students,Oxford.

(d) Principal, St.Mary's College,Lancaster.

(e) English Mistress,St.Mary's College,Lancaster.

(f) Headmistress,Zenana High School,Hyderabad.

(g) Principal, Lady Hardinge Medical College,Delhi.

(21 Miss. Sheela Mukund,
2, Clay Square, Lucknow.

1. 31-12-1908, Agra.

2. Indian Christian.

3. B.A.Hons-English II Class Luncknow 1931.
M.A.(Lucknow) I Class -1932.
L.T.(Allahabad) I Class-1935.
Diploma in Education -London 1936.

4. 1936-37 Secondary Schools English.

5. (1) Lecturer in Intermediate College Champbellur
150/ 1932-34.

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7. (1) Director of Public Instruction, Allahabad.

(2) The Chief Inspectress of Schools

(3) W.G.P.Wall, Principal, Government Training College, Allahabad.

(4) Professor N.K.Siddanth -Lucknow.

(5) Dr.Parajpye -Vice-Chancellor,Lucknow.

(6) Dr.Quagle, Secretary to High Commissioner of India, London.

8. First in M.A. White Memorial Gold Medal.

Sri A. T. Lakshamma,

Assistant Mistress,

Maharani's High School, Mysore.

(Through the Department of Public Instruction).

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1. 17-3-1893. Mysore.

2. Srivaishnava Brahmin.

3. B.A.(Madras) History and Economics. II Class 1917

   M.A. in Literature(Mysore) 1920.

   L.T.(Madras) 1927.

4. Assistant Mistress, Maharani's High School, Mysore.
   Rs 300/ in grade Rs 200-25-300.

5. (i) Head Mistress of the Empress Girls' High School, Tumkur 1931-33.

   (ii) Headmistress of the Maharani's Girls High School 1933-34.

   (iii) Acted in the Maharani's College in 1920.

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7, Extracts from inspection reports.

8. 19 years' service.

Miss B. A. Watts

Superintendent,

Women's Intermediate College,

Bangalore.

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1. 5-9-1903. Trivandrum.

2. European, Roman Catholic

3. B.A.Honours. M.A. Madras in English and Literature
II Class (3rd in the Presidency) -1925.

4. Assistant Professor and Superintendent,
Women's Intermediate College, Bangalore,
Rs 300/ plus Rs 50/ from 1934.

5. Assistant Mistress, Vani Vilas Institute 1926.
Assistant Professor, Maharani's College,
Mysore, 1928-1934.

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7. Mr. T. Raghavaiah, Dewan of Travancore.

The Principal, Maharaja's College, Trivandrum.

Dr. E. P. Metcalfe, Retired Vice-Chancellor, Mysore.

8. Teaching experience of 11 years. Administration experience of College from 1934. Management of a Hostel for 6 years in Mysore. Has undergone a course of Physical Training in 1928 under Mr. H. C. Buck, Associate of the Training College, London, in Elocution.

Was solely responsible for the removal of the Women's Intermediate College, Bangalore, from the old premises to the new and for establishing the Women's College Hostel in Bangalore.

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Miss Indira Khedkar,

C/O The Lloyds Bank,Ltd.,

Broudesbury, London,N.W.6.

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3. M.A. in English Literature and B.T.(Trained) of the Benares Hindu University, Montessori Diploma(London)

4. Doing the Teacher's Diploma of the Cambridge University at present.

5. Principal of the Gokal Das Intermediate College, Moradabad. Professor of English,Women's College,Nagpur.

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7. (1) Mr.Radhakrishna Das, Vice-President, Gokal Das Inter-College, Moradbad.

   (2) Sri R. Ram, Inspectress of Girl's School,Jhansi.

   (3) Sri Ramabai Tambe, Principal, Women's Col. Nagpur.

   (4)The Vice-Chancellor, Benares Hindu University.

   (5) The Pro-Vice-Chancellor,Benares Hindu University.

   (6) Mr. S. C. De, Vice-Principal,Central Hindu College, Benares Hindu University.

   (7) Mr.Jivan Shanker Yajnek, Professor of English, Benares Hindu University.

8. ~~(8)~~ Visited many schools and colleges in England and has learned the organization and the Educational system of England and Wales.

   Has administrative experience as a Principal and Vice-Principal.

   Knows Hindi, Urdu, French.

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Miss Lilian Padmini Satthianadhan,

C/O W.R.S.Satthianadhan, Esq.,

Estate Collector,

Vizianagaram (B.N.Ry).

1. 26-3-1905. Madras.

2. Indian Christian (Protestant)Church of England.

3. B.A.Madras Botany & Geology II Class.
M.A.(Eng.Lang. & Lit) II Class -1931.

4. Private tuition. Honorary Work -Freelance Journalist.

5. (1) Paid apprentice at the Hindu Office Madras, as holder of the Kasturi Iyengar Scholarship for one year, 2Editor, India Monthly magazine, Calcutta from November 1934 to January 1937. Salary Rs 200/p.m. p.m.

(2) Started the Women's page in the Hindu and edited at for some time.

6. Frequent contributor to journals of children's stories and articles on Sociology, Education, Indian Women and other general subjects.

7. (1) Mr.Stanley Jepson, Editor, Times of India.
(2) Miss D.Dela Hey, Principal, Queen Mary's College, Madras.
(3) Mr.K.Swaminathan, Professor of English, Presidency College, Madras.
(4) Lady Esra, President, National Council of Women in India, Calcutta.
(5) The Managing Editor, The Hindu, Madras.
(6) Miss Codrey, Secretry, Y.M.C.A., Madras.
(7) Dr. P. Paru, President, Indian Red Cross Society, Cannanore.

8. Captain of Tennis for over two years and Editor of the Queen Mary's College Magazine for one year. Recipient of about 2 dozen tennis cups and winner of the Ladies' Doubles Championship of t of the Madras United Club for 2 years. Played Hockey and Net Ball in England. Passed the Advance Grade (Piano) of the Associated Board of the Royal College of Music. Studied French. Visited France and Switzerland.

Miss Betty M. King.

2424 - VI Street, La Verne,

CALIFORNIA

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1. ---

2. American

3. (1) M.A.(Education(University of Southern California with a major in Administration in June 1937.

   (2) A Diploma in Education from the California State Deprtment of Education.

   (3) An Administrative Credential for Secondary and Higher Schools from the California State Department of Education.

4. ---

5. Experience as teacher and Principal in Schools in Oregon and California.

   Six years of residence and experience in India.

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7. Refers to Miss S. J. Miller, Umalla, Branch Dist. India.

8. Desires to be of service in India.

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25 Mrs. Rajammal Kulandai,

Assistant, St.Aloysius Girl's High School,

Tuticorin.

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1. 4-1-1900, Madras.

2. Catholic (Vellala)

3. B.A.Honours in English Language and Literature,

Madras --III Class 1937.

4. Teacher in the St.Aloysius High School for girls
Tuticorin(Hony).

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7. (1) Mr.V.K.Ayappan Pillai, Chief Professor of English,Presidency College,Madras.

(2) Mr. (H.J.) Franco, Vicar-General and Administrator of the Mylapore Diocese.

(3) Mr. M. Ratnaswamy,Madras Service Commission.

(4) Miss De la Hey, Principal, Queen Mary's College,Madras.

8. Received Sir Mark Hunter Memorial Prize for the best essay on the subject of "The influence of the Norman Conquest on English Language and Literature".

Miss M. A. Saldhana

Central College for Women.

NAGPUR.

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1. 5-1-1908. Mangalore.

2. Indian Christian.

3. B.A.Madras English -II Class -History III Class 1928.
M.A. in English and Literature -Madras University, 1930.

4. Professor of English, Central College for Women, Nagpur, 150/ for 2 years.

5. Four years as Lecturer in a High School, and 3 years as Professor of English, 150/p.m.

6. Teacher in the Convent High School, Hubli, for 4 years, Rs 100/per mensem.

7. Poems and Prose articles on various subjects in College Magazines and other periodicals.

8(1) Miss D. De la Hey, Principal, Queen Mary's College, Madras.

(2) Miss M. Annunciata, Principal, St.Agnes College, Mangalore.

(3) Mr. M. S. Sreshta.

(4) Sister M. Imelda, Convent High School, Hubli.

8. Has been a member of the University Court, Nagpur, and has represented the Central College on the University Sports Committee.

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9. Miss J. Marguerite Black.
Halkirk, Caithness,
SCOTLAND.

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1. 20 years.

2. British Nationality (Scotch).

3. B.A.Honours -I Class (Aberdeen University).

4. ----

5. Literature in English Literature -Aberdeen Univ[illegible]
ersity.

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7. (1) Mr. L. Stuart Sutherland, Fellow and Tutor of Somerville College.

(2) Miss Helen Darbishire, Principal of Somerville College, Oxford.

(3) Mr. A. A. Jack, Professor in English Literature.

8. Travelled throughout the continent. Was in the ..... of Oxford for Philosophy, Politics and Economics.

Mrs. Mona Hensman,
Sargon House, 1 Atkinson Road,
Vepry, Madras.

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1. 25-8-1899, Berhampore(Ganjam).

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2. Indian Christian -Bengali Parents. Father Protestant. Domiciled Madras.

3. B.A.Hons.(Lond), III Class -English -History - Subsidiary. English main in training course (Unfinished).

4. Acting Professor of English,Women's Christian College, Madras, and part-time Lecturer in English, St.Christopher's Training College for Women,Madras.

5. Professor of English, Kinnaird College, Lahore, 1925.
Professor of English and French,Women's Christian College,Madras 1925.

6. Articles in magazines.

7. (1) Miss Caroline A.J.Steel,University Reader in History, Westfield College.

(2) Miss Kate M. Warren,Head of the English Department (Westfield College).
(3) Miss Eleanor C.Lodge,Principal,Westfield Col.
(4) Katherine L. Johnston,Principal,.
(5) Miss Eleanor M.AcDougall,Principal,Women's Christian College,Madras.

8. Educated in England 1911-24. Closely connected with various Educational institutions in Madras. Member of the Senate of the Madras University.

Member of the Madras Legislative Council.

Has served as a member of Committee and Office bearer of the following Association.

M.B.E. Title conferred in April 1937.

(1) Y.W.C.A.
(2) All-India Women's Conference.
(3) The Women's Graduate's Union.
(4) The Girl Guide Association,etc.

(B)

Miss M. E. Stunt,
Principal, Welland -Gouldsmity European School,
288, New Bazaar St.,
Calcutta.

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1. 6-11-1896. Essex -England.

2. Pure European(English)

3. B.A.Hons.(English and Fench)Sheffield. 1918
M.A. 1918
Diploma in Education 1918
Diplome d'studies 1920

4. Principal, Welland -Gouldsmith European School,
Calcutta.

5.(1) Ware Grammar School, Herts.

(2) Countyy Sec.Sch.Haywards Heath.

(3) Wm.Gibbs School for Girls,Faversham.

(4) Kimmins High Sch.Panchagani.

(5) Stanes High School,Coonnor

(6) Sarrington Sch.Westcling Sec.

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7. Submits a printed leaflet.

(1) Miss M.E. Brough.

(2) Miss A. Louise Steven.

(3) Miss H. Fowlds.

(4) Miss E. Farrington Walker.

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Mrs. Wagle Dhume,
Offg.Lecturer in English,Ismail Col.
Andheri.

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1. 16-10-1908. Calcutta.

2. Indian. Gowd Saraswat Community Brahmin.

3. B.A.Hons.(Bombay) I Class in English -1930.
M.A.(Bomb) I Class 1932.
Hons.Degree in Part II of the English Tripos Exm. (1934)

4. Officiating Lecturer in English, Ismail College, Andheri.

5. (i) Lecturer in English, Elphinstone College,Bombay 1930.
(ii) Dakshina Fellow in the Elphinstone College from 1930 to 1932.
(iii) Professor of English Literature, Sir Parshurambha College,Poona. Jan 1935 to 31-3-37.

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7. (i) Mr.R.D.Karmarkar.
(ii) Miss Hilda M.R.Murray,Cambridge
(iii) Miss H.M.Wodehouse,Mistress of Griton Col.
(iv) Mr.M.G.Lloyd Thomas Girton Col.Cambridge.

8. (i)Youngest daughter of Mr.K.B.Wagle, Accountant-General of the U.P.

(ii) Was awarded the Selby Prize for the first place in Logic and the Gangabahi Bhat Scholarship for the first place among unmarried Hindu women candidates and the Lalkaka Scholarship for the first place among women candidates and the French Prize of the Circle Litterarie for securing the highest number of marks in French.

Miss F. J. Vachha,
Banoo Mansions,
Cambulla Hill,
BOMBAY.

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1. 7-10-1913. Ahmedabad.

2. Zorastria. Parsi.

3. B.A. II Class Honours (1933)
M.A. II Class Honours (1935).

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8. Obtained College Scholarship.
Representative in Inter-Collegiate Gamew and Sports.

Supplementary list of applicants for the Professorship of English, Maharani's College.

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34. Miss I.VanRoss, 16 Infantry Road, Bangalore.
M.A.(Mad)1932 and L.T.
Withdrew as she holds only a III Class certificate.

35. Miss Daya Paranjape, 44 Vincent Road, Bombay.
M.A.(II Class)B.T.Bombay
Principal, General Education Instt. Girls' High School, Dadar.
(Form sent not received back).

36. Sri S. Nagalakshmi C/O R.Sundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A., L.T., Alleppey.
B.A.Hons.(Mad) 1937 -III Clas.
(Form sent not received back).

37. Miss M.Doree, Calcutta.
(Form sent not received).

38. Miss Feroza Wagar Ali: Feragapur Cantt.
B.A.Punjah -IIIClass
(Form sent not received back).

39. Mrs.Meenakshi Ramaswami:Debra Dun.
M.A.,B.T.,
(Form sent not received).

40. Miss S. Duara: Melrose, Simla.
M.A.in History and Politics, Allahabad and L.T.
(Form sent not received back).

41. M.M.Mahapeer: Calcutta.
Form sent not received back.

42. Mrs. B.P.Pillai: Trivandrum.
M.A.(Mad) in English:Professor of English, Indraprastha College, Delhi.
(Form sent not received back).

43. Miss Manorama Choudhury:Benares.
M.A.(Allahabad) II Class:Teacher, Theosophical Nati nal Girls' School and Women's Col., Benares.

(Form sent not received back).

44. Sri B. Dharani Bai: Madras.
M.A.,L.T.

(Form sent not received back).

45. Miss E.K.Leela:Benares. Professor of English,Women's Col.
Benares Hindu University.
(Form sent not received back).

46. Sri R. Janakamma,
552, Ramachandra Agrahar,Mysore.

(Received through the Department after the due date.)

1. 5th July 1905, Mysore.

2. Indian,Hindu-Srivaishnava Brahmin.

3. B.A.1926; M.A. 1928;(English Literature)
B.T.1933.

4. Headmistress,Maharani's Middle School,Mysore on Rs 125/p.m.

5. Served in the Maharani's High School in 1933-34.

6. Contributed articles and short stories to some of the leading magazines.

7. (i) Extracts from inspection reports;

(ii) From Mr. J. C. Rollo.

8. Awarded Gold Medal for essay prize in the M.A.Examination.

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Registrar,
University of Mysore.

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